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In the following Appendices "A", "B" and "C" are summaries of  
the following diseases: Tuberculosis, Diphtheria, Scarlet Fever, Typhoid Fever, Paratyphoid  
Fever, Influenza and Measles. Tuberculosis of the lung and larynx decreased from 1032 cases  
in June to 861 cases. Diphtheria decreased from 2064 cases in June to 1761 cases. With the exception of a slight increase in Bavaria there  
were decreases in all Länder by the U.S. Sector of Berlin. There  
was an AFM report this week as compared with 1032 cases in June. Diphtheria decreased in all Länder and the U.S.  
Sector of Berlin. Scarlet fever decreased from 54 to 73 cases and  
Typhoid Fever decreased from 10 to 14 cases. The paratyphoid epidemic of last week with  
817 cases, which originated in Bavaria and Hesse, was reduced in  
incidence this week by 51 percent in Hesse and 85 percent in Bavaria.  
Measles decreased by nearly 25 percent. Influenza has been gradually  
decreasing over the past four weeks from 289 cases the first week in  
June to 125 cases during the first week of July.

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## **U.S. Occupied Area of Germany:**

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## **Communicable Diseases:**

The general trend of communicable diseases during the current week was one of decreasing incidence with no increases of any significance.

Decreases occurred in the number of reported cases of tuberculosis of the lung and larynx, gonorrhea, syphilis, typhoid fever, paratyphoid fever, influenza and measles. Tuberculosis of the lung and larynx decreased by approximately 200 cases. Gonorrhea decreased from 2094 to 1751 cases. With the exception of a slight increase in Bremen there were decreases in all Laender and the U.S. Sector of Berlin. There were 882 cases of syphilis reported this week as compared with 1052 during the previous week, with decreases in all Laender and the U.S. Sector of Berlin. Typhoid fever decreased from 89 to 73 cases and likewise decreased in all four Laender but increased in the U.S. Sector of Berlin from 2 to 9 cases. The paratyphoid epidemic of last week with 517 reported cases concentrated in Bavaria and Hesse, was reduced in incidence this week by 51 percent in Hesse and 68 percent in Bavaria. Measles decreased by nearly 25 percent. Influenza has been gradually decreasing over the past four weeks from 220 cases the first week in June to 135 cases during the first week of July.

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**APPENDIX "A"**

**Communicable Disease Report United States Zone of Germany  
for Week ending 5 July 1947**

Regierungs- bezirk a)	Popu- lation a)	Reported Number of New CASES and DEATHS from COMMUNICABLE DISEASE												c: Cases	d: Deaths				
		Cases, Deaths	Typhus Fever	Smallpox	Louse Bornre	Relapsing Fever	Cholera	Plague	Diphtheria	Scarlet Fever	Tuberculosis Lung and Larynx	Whooping Cough	Syphilis	Typhoid Fever	Paratyphoid	Dysentery	Infectious Jaundice	Malaria	Influenza
<b>TOTAL US Zone</b>	18,514,000	c p	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Unterfranken	1,032,000	c p	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ober- und Mittelfranken	2,360,000	c p	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Niederbayern und Oberpfalz	2,048,000	c p	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Schwaben	1,243,000	c p	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oberbayern	2,466,000	c d	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kassel	1,266,000	c d	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wiesbaden	1,593,000	c p	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Darmstadt	1,301,000	d	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Baden	1,409,000	c d	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wuerttemberg	2,299,000	d	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bremen	497,000	p	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Berlin (US Sector)	1,000,000	d	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

a) Official population estimate established by Civil Administration Division, OMBUS, as of 1 July 1947.  
+ Indicates no data submitted. — Indicates no cases reported. 0.0 indicates rates between 0 and 0.05.

**APPENDIX "B" Communicable Disease Report (by Land) United States Zone of Germany**  
 for Week ending 5 July 1947

Land a)	Population in thousands b)	Reported Number of New CASES and DEATHS from COMMUNICABLE DISEASE	c: Cases - d: Deaths																						
			Smallpox	Typhus Fever	Louse Bornee	Cholera	Pestilence	Diphtheria	Scarlet Fever	Tuberculosis Lung and Larynx	Whooping Cough	Meningitis	Gonorrhoea	Syphilis	Typhoid Fever	Paratyphoid	Infectious Dysentery	Bac't. Food	Poisoning	Infectious Disease	Rabies	Encephalitis epid.	Scabies	Malaria	Influenza
Total US Zone	18,514,000	c	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bavaria	9,149,000	p	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hesse	4,160,000	c	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wuerttemberg-Baden	3,708,000	d	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bremen	497,000	c	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Berlin (US Sector)	1,000,000	d	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Case Rates Expressed as per 10,000 Population per Annum																Total									
Total US Zone	18,514,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
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Bremen	497,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Berlin (US Sector)	1,000,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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APPENDIX "B" Communicable Disease Report (by Land) United States Zone of Germany

## APPENDIX "C"

**Communicable Disease Rates United States Zone of Germany**  
for Week ending 5 July 1947

Official population estimate established by Civil Administration Division, OMGUS as of 1 July 1947



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